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FOR EA - AMBASSADOR GREEN

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SUBJ: CONSULTATION WITH AFL/CIO

1. RECOMMEND YOU CALL ON GEORGE MEANEY OR JAY LOVESTONE WHILE IN WASHINGTON TO SHARE YOUR EARLY IMPRESSIONS OF AUSTRALIAN LABOR MOVEMENT AND PARTICULARLY BOB HAWKE.

2. YOU MIGHT EMPHASIZE IMPORTANCE OF MAINTAINING CONTACT BETWEEN AFL/CIO AND ACTU. GOOD EXAMPLE OF SUCH CONTACT IS CURRENT VISIT TO MELBOURNE BY JOSEPH BEIRNE, PRESIDENT OF TRANSPORTATION WORKERS, VICE PRESIDENT AND CHAIRMAN INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF AFL/CIO. HE WILL BE MEETING WITH HAWKE AND OTHERS AND WILL ENDEAVOR PLAY CONSTRUCTIVE ROLE REGARDING DOCKWORKER PROBLEM.

3. ROBERT PARRISH, INTERNATIONAL VICE PRESIDENT OF BROTHERHOOD OF RAILWAY AND AIRLINE CLERKS, WILL BE IN AUSTRALIA IN SEPTEMBER AS STAG. HE WILL ATTEND ACTU BIENNIAL CONFERENCE IN SYDNEY WITH MCHALE. YOU MIGHT SUGGEST THAT IT WOULD BE A POSITIVE GESTURE FOR HIM TO BE APPOINTED OFFICIAL AFL/CIO OBSERVER AT THIS MEETING.  
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